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S E C R E T KATHMANDU 2374
E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: SNAR NP
SUBJECT: OPIUM - NEPAL

REF: STATE 132964

I CALLED ON PRIME MTS PARA 2 REFTEL AND LEVING HIM PIECE
OF PAPER CONTAINING TALKING POINTS. UPON CONCLUSION OF
.6 043 3,5-589,, GIRI SAID HE DID NOT KNOW MUCH ABOUT THESE
MATTERS BUT SAID THAT GOVERNMENT OF NEPAL HAD BEEN GIVING
SOME CONSIDERATION TO "BUYING UP" OPIUM FOR EXPORT. HE
ADDED THAT NEPAL HAD RECEIVED INQUIRIES FROM "TWO OR THREE
COUNTRIES" EXPRESSING INTEREST IN PURCHASING OPIUM. BOTH
PRIME MINISTER AND FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICER WHO WAS ALSO PRESENT
WERE UNFAMILIAR WITH SINGLE CONVENTION, AND APPEARED SURPRISED
AS LIMITATIONS IT IMPOSED, AND WONDERED ALOUD WHY APPROACHES
TO NEPAL FOR EXPORT OF OPIUM HAD BEEM
MADE IN VIEW OF SUCH LIMITATIONS. NEITHER WAS
AWARE ALSO OF DUBS APPROACH TO KHATRI.
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